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CLEVER ECONOMY.

**A Woman Who Has an
Idea and Patience
Is Not Downed
by Poverty.**

There are some natures to whom
the idea of economy of any kind is
abhorrent, or, at least, repellent, but
happily they are not many women
natures of this sort, says the Philadel-
phia Press.

There are few women but who,
from necessity, or, perhaps, choice,
practice little savings and economies,
and are pleased with any practical or
pretty idea to this end.

As an illustration of this I saw
yesterday a very handsome and dainty
petticoat which was the outcome
of a thrifty idea of a saving woman.

Two dress skirts that had passed
their day of usefulness, but which
were of fine, soft wool goods, were
utilized: All linings were taken out
and the skirts were ripped apart,
washed and dyed a pretty shade of
dard blue. Then the skirt was cut
over the proper width and length.

A close-fitting yoke fitted snugly
about the waist, and the seams were
bound with narrow taffeta ribbon.

A durable silk waist that has seen
long service took its share of the rip-
pling and washing and pressing. The
best part of the full body and under
dug sleeves were cut into narrow
bias bands, which were hemmed and
put on the skirt in two small, full
ruffles. The yoke of the skirt was
drawn in to fit by narrow taffeta rib-
bon run into the back of the yoke.

The sateen for the yoke, the ribbon
for the binding and the strings were
the only materials purchased for
what was a serviceable and exceed-
ingly stylish garment.

Yoke, fillia, binding and ribbon
was a pretty, changeable gold and
garnet, and the body of the skirts
was a good shade of blue.

When skirts are utilized it is best
to make them double or line them,
sewing together firmly in the seams.
When there is no article of silk
that can be used, and you do not wish
to purchase a pretty finish can be
made from wool.

Crochet in a close pattern, suffi-
cient lace from the wool to finish the
bottom of the skirt, and put on with
ribbon gathered into fancy shells or
puffs.

HIS LAST GAME.

Why he Refused to Accept a
Winning and Decided
to Play No More.

A party of five gentlemen had been
in the habit of meeting once a week
to play poker. They were each of
them ordinarily successful in his
profession, and were respected in
their business and personal relations.
The incident given below, that took
place at their last meeting for the pur-
pose of an evening's enjoyment of
their favorite game, dramatic as it
may seem, is strictly true, says a
New York paper.

It is not easy to give the reason for
the fascination or the excitement of
poker playing. Suffice it to say that
on the night we speak of, overwrought
by stimulating circumstances, each
of the players, because of what seem-
ed to be the strength of his own
hand, increased the amount of his
bet over that which had been made.

One of the five was a lawyer, who
had many important clients depend-
ing upon him. He was the most im-
perturbable of the players, greatly
addicted to the game and as it hap-
pened in this instance held the high-
est cards in his hands. He knew
that he was a sure winner, for no
other combination could possibly beat
him.

The excitement became intense and
the betting had risen from hundreds
of dollars to \$1,000. The lawyer for
a moment changed color, then put
his hand into his pocket, took out
a roll of bills, and counting from it
a thousand dollars, laid them on the
middle of the table, thus covering
the last bet. He then said:

"I call you," which is the techni-
cal way of bringing the betting to an
end. As he did so he turned pale
and his hand shook as he showed
his winning cards. The doctor of
the party thought he was going to
faint from the excitement of winning
such an unusual amount, and sprang
to assist him, but the lawyer waved
him back and bent his head trying
to control himself. His friends felt
that his emotion was due to some
unusual cause, in silence they looked
on while he did a strange thing.

First he took ten one-hundred dol-
lar bills from the heap of money that
he had won and then folding them
together he put them with the roll
he had taken from his pocket.

When this was done he drew a long
breath—almost a gasp of relief. Then
he carefully separated his own origi-
nal money from the remainder and
pushed the rest away, looking at it
steadily for a second or two without
speaking. At length he said, raising
his hand and registering a solemn
oath—"we quote his exact language.

"I am done with poker. Loving
the game as much as I do, I give it
up from this moment forever. I
have stepped across the border line
of dishonesty to-night. The money
I have put back into my pocket was
given to me by a client to be paid
out in the morning and if I had lost
it I could not immediately have re-
placed it. I had it in my possession
simply because I had not the oppor-
tunity to deposit it in the bank and
in the excitement of the game I for-
got that it was not my own. The

fascination that would make me do a
thing like that is one that I dare not
risk again. I cannot touch the
money that I won with it, for it is
not my own."

His friends took up the money and
bowed in silence. Their astonishment
and respect were too great for words.
The lawyer soon rose and left the
room, never to return.

He had unconsciously given a
striking illustration of the fact that
the essence of character which we
call soul may be lost or saved at the
moment when one comes to the bor-
der line between an honest and a dis-
honest act.

Your Boy Won Live a Month.
So, Mr. Gillman Brown, of 34 Mill
St., South Gardner, Mass., was told
by the doctors. His son had lung
trouble, following Typhoid Malaria,
and he spent three hundred and sev-
enty five dollars with doctors, who fi-
nally gave him up, saying: "Your
boy won live a month." He tried
Dr. King's New Discovery and a few
bottles restored him to health and en-
abled him to go to work a perfectly
well man. He says he owes his pre-
sent good health to use of Dr. King's
New Discovery, and knows it to be
the best in the world for lung trou-
ble. Trial Bottles Free at Williams &
Bell's Drug Store.

NOT CAUSED BY AN OPAL.

**A Story of Bad Luck, the
Cause of Which Is
Still a Matter Of
Doubt.**

Here is a story showing how to ac-
count for bad luck:

A man was shaking dice in a store.
He lost.

"No wonder," said a bystander,
"You're wearing an opal. You never
will have luck."

This set the man to thinking. Four
days later he slipped in getting off a
street car and sprained his ankle.

This decided him. He gave the
pin to a friend who was on the Board
of Trade, and who was too hard-head-
ed to entertain any fool notions about
the number 13 or black cats, or cross-
eyed girls with red hair.

Nevertheless, when this Board of
Trade man lost over \$10,000 on wheat,
he began to worry. He didn't care
much for the pin any way, and so
one day when a young man in his of-
fice admired the "fire" in the stone he
said: "Take it along, if you like it."

The young man overwhelmed him
with thanks. Then he waited with
guilty knowledge, to see what would
happen to the young man. He did
not have to wait long. The very
next week the employee was taken ill,
and he missed four days at the office.

The Board of Trade man was trou-
bled in conscience, so he told his young
friend about the opal pin and the em-
ployee after deliberation, decided that
he would give the pin to his girl.

The opal did very rapid and effec-
tive work after it became the property
of the young woman. On the second
day after she began to wear it, she ig-
nited a curtain in attempting to light
the gas. The curtain was destroyed
and the young woman had both of
her hands burned in attempting to
extinguish the blaze.

The young man who had given the
stone to her felt called upon to apolo-
gize.

"Perhaps it was that opal I gave
you," said he. "You know, an opal
is supposed to carry bad luck with it.
I didn't tell you because I'm not su-
perstitious."

"I'll not wear the dreadful thing a
day longer," she said.

So she didn't. She gave it to her
brother, who scoffed at the suggestion
that a little stone could wield any in-
fluence, good or bad. Nevertheless
when he started for Cincinnati and
the train ran off the track and he was
jammed half the length of the car he
became converted.

"I'll not give it to anybody else to
be a Jonah," said he. "I'll sell it to
a jeweler."

So he went to the jeweler and said:
"What will you give me for this
opal?"

The jeweler looked at it and said:
"That isn't an opal; that's a cat's
eye."—[Chicago Record.]

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GOV. BRADLEY.

A High Tribute to Kentucky's
Executive.

Scarcely a greater compliment has
been paid during the campaign than
that to Kentucky by ex-President
Harrison, through a Courier-Journal
reporter:

"I am proud of Kentucky; proud
it was that the present fight for
honest money began." And then
laughingly he continued, "they of the
West are won't to refer to us of the
East as a lot of the rattle brains,
among whom the free silver heresy
finds its home. I am glad we can
point them to Kentucky as the origi-
nal starting point of the fight now on.
I am greatly gratified at the stand
taken by the liberal and patriotic
sound money Democrats of the
South."

In a great fight upon a plane higher
than party and party platforms where
all have laid their tributes, both Re-
publicans and sound money Demo-
crats, upon the altar of their common
country, it may appear invidious to
single out any leader—where all have
done so nobly—yet the truth of his-
tory and the demands of simple jus-
tice, alike, require recognition of the
fact that to William O. Bradley, more
than to any one man North or south,
is due the honor of calling this threat-
ening movement to a halt, by hitting
it a body blow from which it has never
recovered.

Last year he ploughed the soil, and
ploughed deeply, and Kentucky this
year naturally had the post of honor
as the leader of the column.

Ordinary politics demanded noth-
ing of this kind at the hands of Mr.
Bradley last year. He might have
made his canvass and won on long
continued Democratic mismanage-
ment of State affairs as he came very
near doing eight years before. He
might of won by going before the
people as a prophet whose prophecies
had been fulfilled.

He noticed the funnel-shaped cloud
contending this free silver cyclone,
and casting aside all ideas of policy,
on expediency, on diplomacy, he pre-
pared for the coming storm. Fore-
warned the sound money issue to the front
and staked his political success or
failure on the result.

The consequence was a disaster to
free coinage from which it has never
recovered.

It was the taking of the heights of
Quatre-Bras, in 1895, which com-
mands the fields of Waterloo in 1896.

The people of Kentucky are better
educated, better informed than the
people of any other state. The ground
was well ploughed last year and an
abundant harvest this year follows.

He entered the canvass with the
armor and energy of youth. Afflicted
with a throat trouble, which would
have deterred others, he laid aside
his own health, he entered the work
in Illinois, Ohio, and West Virginia.

In Kentucky his voice has been
heard in speeches that will never be
forgotten. Indeed the great drama
would have been marred without him.
"It would have been like playing
Hamlet with the part of the Prince
left out."

It is no wonder that men like Ex-
president Harrison should compli-
ment Kentucky for her great work,
and the noble stand she early took,
and for this the State and Nation
owe more to W. O. Bradley than
any one else, great as is the need of
praise due many of her sons. Not
since Henry A. Wise gave to Know-
nothingism its death blow in Virginia
has there been a more brilliant cam-
paign than in Kentucky in 1895, pre-
paratory to the great and decisive
battle in 1896. While the Governor
has not made so many speeches this
year as last, they have been the
greatest harvest of his life.

In Owensboro, Louisville and at
other places where the greatest orators
have spoken, it is conceded that
Bradley's speeches outranked them
all. He has gone wherever called; it
mattered not that in two instances, at
least, he was asked to go out into
districts where his personal enemies
were candidates. He buried every
animosity and in the furtherance of
a great principle and a patriotic duty
he did not hesitate, but earnestly la-
bored for all alike.—[Leader.]

Association.

At the Hardin County Teachers'
Institute, July, 1896, the idea of a
teachers association for the 4th Con-
gressional District was suggested, and
J. R. Coyle, of Grayson; J. H. Ho-
kinson, of Breckenridge; J. L. Pil-
kenton, of Hardin; S. C. Stevens, of
Obate; Miss Filida Mattingly, of
Meade, and J. C. Pirtle, of LaRue,
being present, were requested to se-
lect place and time for first meeting

and arrange program.

The idea is a
good one—the right move in the right
direction, and arrangements have
been made to hold the first meeting
at Elizabethtown, Saturday, Nov. 21,
1896. Let every teacher in the old
Fourth put enthusiasm in his soul,
his mind on the program, the day to
the profession and meet at Elizabethtown,
November 21, in a general edu-
cational hand-shake.

Organization—10 a. m.
Welcome address—Supt. J. R. Ash-
lock.

Response—J. R. Coyle.
Miscellaneous business. Noon.
Opening exercises—1:30 p. m.
Benefits to be derived from a dis-
trict association—Superintendents of
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THE MILLS

Are Opening and the
Workingmen are
Happy.

Effect of McKinley's
Election Already
Felt.

THOUSANDS REJOICING.

From the Golden Gate to the
Alleghanies.

OUR COUNTRY'S PROSPERITY.

San Francisco, Nov. 7.—The most
significant feature of the revival of
business resultant on the election of
McKinley is the talk of Mills opening
in the near future, industries about
to be started and new chances
for the employment of mechanics,
clerks and laborers. The Valley
road directors are already preparing
bonds with a view of promptly resum-
ing the construction south of Fresno and
in other directions. This will employ
hundreds of workmen. The South-
ern Pacific Company managers antici-
pate a boom in freight business and
looks to giving increased employment
in car shops along the road in conse-
quence. In all directions are heard
reports of an encouraging nature.

Springfield, Mass., Nov. 7.—The
Spaulding & Pepper Manufacturing
Company has started up its factory in
Chicopee, after a few weeks' shut-
down, pending the results of the
election. The company had a large
number of orders conditional upon
the Republican victory.

Pittsburg, Nov. 7.—With the news
of McKinley's election the announce-
ment was made by many manufactur-
ers that operation in idle mills would
resume. At Jones & Lughlin's the
continuous mill was put on, and the
steel mill went on in full. Two hun-
dred more men were given employ-
ment in the hoop department of
Painter & Son's mill. At Zum &
Co's plant 22 additional puddling
furnaces were put on. Olivar's
South Tenth street mill also started
up.

Many other factories here are light-
ing 36 furnaces. The 600 shops em-
ployes of the Pennsylvania railroad
went on full time, with an increase
in wages of 10 per cent.

Springfield, O., Nov. 7.—J. A.
Myers, of Robbins & Myers, said:
"This morning we received several
orders mailed yesterday when the
election of McKinley was sure."
L. H. Purcell, of the O. S. Kelly
Company, said: "We expect to start
up the factory in a short time."

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Much praise is due Chairman Sam J. Roberts for the excellent manner in which he has managed the Campaign just closed in Kentucky. He is a success as a newspaper man and has made a success out of managing the Campaign. He is a brainy young fellow, and we predict him a good place under President McKinley. There is nothing too good for a Kentucky Journalist, and especially if he is a Republican Journalist. Here's hoping that Roberts may have whatever he asks for, and we assure him that THE REPUBLICAN is for him from first to last.

Now that McKinley is elected and the scramble for office has begun we wish to say that in the person of Hon. C. M. Barnett we see the next collector of Internal Revenue for this District. Mr. Barnett being Chairman of the State Central Committee he will have the endorsement of the entire State organization, and the Republican Congressmen from Kentucky, so he will enter the race with a good start on his opponents, and in fact he will come out first. He is a young man of much promise and will be an honor to the Administration we have ever had to fill that office. Hartford has other Federal office hunter. Col. J. S. K. Wedding would make a good Assistant District Attorney. He is well qualified for the place and his appointment would be a very popular one.

The good and loyal Republicans of Ohio county deserve much praise for their magnificent work in the campaign just ended. The Republican plurality has been increased from 300 to over 500, and the party has been strengthened. It has never been the policy of the Republican party to abuse an opposite party and then for the sake of an office propose fusion with that party and then violate all the pledges that were made in the agreement. Such were the tactics of the Democratic party in the late campaign. They succeeded in getting the Populist Electors withdrawn and compelling the Populists to vote under the rooster, but when it came to getting Judge Durham to withdraw in the interest of Dave Smith and sacrifice his principles on the Democratic altar he said "no." The Democratic party has always abused the Populists on every occasion that presented itself. Last spring in the special election had the Democrats stood up to their promise Esq. Reuder would have defeated Dr. James for the Senate, but they proved false, and had they voted for Durham, which they ought to have done, he would have defeated Dave Smith in this county. We mention these facts in order to throw some light on the inside workings of the Democratic party.

A few figures on the election in Ohio county might be very interesting and will show the strength of each party. In 1896 Bradley received 2154; Hardin 1870; Pettit 626; Demaree 72. In the election last week John W. Lewis received 2637; making a Republican gain of 483; D. H. Smith received 2092; making a Democratic gain 222; Durham received 646; a net gain of 20; Likens received 31, making a loss of 11 votes. We see from these figures that the Democrats did not support Durham, but made false promises to the Populists in order to get their votes for Bryan. If the Democrats had stood up to their agreement with the Populists Durham would have beaten Smith in this county about the same that Smith beat Durham. The Republicans went straight along and voted for Lewis and made an increase of 183. He only ran a little ahead of McKinley in the county and the figures show that he never received any Democratic votes. The figures also show that Durham never received any Democratic votes to mount to anything or else he would have gotten more votes, which he deserved by the fusion agreement. The Democrats only made to do out of the Populists to get their votes and treated them like mere slaves in their greed for supremacy in the county. Now that they have gotten their votes for Bryan they don't give the Populists any credit for what they did in the matter, but attribute it all to the Democrats.

COMING down to facts and figures it was simply the patriotism of sound money Democrats that placed Kentucky in the Republican column. That they may remain patriots is our most earnest desire.

The magnificent campaign of 1895 made by Governor W. O. Bradley on an unquestionable sound money platform was what made it possible and paved the way to Republican success this year in Kentucky.

And the Hartford Herald says "Ohio county is redeemed." In a straight race between the Republicans, Democrats and Populists, John W. Lewis, the Republican candidate for Congress, received a majority of 526. That dogged Herald won't tell the truth. It will tell a lie when the truth would sound better.

OFFICERS of the election at Bartlesville precinct only certified that first electors on each ticket and candidates for Congress received any votes and they were counted by canvassing board as certified. If any votes were thrown out in that precinct as charged by the Herald the officers of the election threw them out and not the canvassing board.

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The protracted silence of Tom Watson is alarming. Possibly he is dead. —Owensboro Messenger.
Not satisfied with beating the Populists out of their votes by fusing them entirely out and refusing to publish Watson's letter of acceptance, the Owensboro Messenger, who has led the fight for Bryan in Kentucky, now comes along and is poking fun at the Populists. That shows how ungrateful the free silver Democrats are for what support they got from the Populists.

OWENS: to pressure of business and other matters, last week, we failed to give much notice of the big Republican Rally held at Fordsville the week before the election. It was said to be the largest crowd ever assembled in Fordsville. Col. John A. Joyce, of Washington, was on hand to do the speaking. He is a magnificent specimen of manhood and his commanding appearance brought forth much applause as he touched the Populists up on both sides. Hon. David Powers made an excellent speech, ex-Senator Taylor was chairman of the meeting. Mr. Jesse R. Eskridge, of Hardinsburg, introduced the speakers. It was decidedly the biggest day ever had in Fordsville.

Bryan's trail through the country in his stump tour can be traced by the immense Republican majorities which the election revealed. It was just after the "orations" which he received in Massachusetts that he announced his belief that he would "carry every State in the union." As a response to that prediction Massachusetts rolled up a plurality of about 170,000 against him. He made many eloquent speeches in Maryland, West Virginia, Kentucky and Indiana, and these States answered him by getting into the Republican column. That great speech in Madison Square Garden, when he first invaded the enemy's country, is probably responsible for many of the votes represented by New York's 270,000 plurality against him. It was in Illinois, though, that he made the effort of his life, and Illinois retaliated by burying him under three times as large as it ever cast against any other presidential candidate.

The electioneering tour of candidate Bryan was one of the most remarkable features of the recent campaign. He traveled nearly 19,000 miles, and made 600 speeches, containing 375,000 words in 417 towns and cities in 27 different States, to audiences aggregating over 2,000,000 persons. Nothing equal to this in the way of personal effort was ever before known in our politics or in the politics of any other country. And what was his general effect upon his fortunes? This is an interesting question and one that eludes definite answer, for obvious reasons. "I think I am winning votes—but you can't tell," Mr. Bryan himself said to Bourke Cockran when they met in West Virginia. Then he went on to declare that he was a good deal like the young mislery to some of the cannibal islands, who being asked how he was getting along, replied, "Very well, indeed; I draw good crowds to hear me, they pay close attention to what I say, and I feel sure I am making converts every day; but," he added with great seriousness, "I never stand up before a crowd of these fellows and talk to them that there is a queer feeling running up my back which makes me think I'm going to be run over by 'em before I get through." The story fits the case admirably, and is a fitting illustration in a general way of all political activity.

HARDINSBURG.

A Summary of The Election And Some General News.

The election is over, that is the presidential election is over. Unfortunately we have no election every year. Next year the counties of this State elect their county officers. Primaries to nominate candidates will be held as early as December. In this county we not only have our county election and primary for next year, but we also have a local option contest in the Hardinsburg Magisterial District in December. Thus it is the American people have no rest from politics.

In looking over the vote in our neighboring counties, in the election just past, we find that Breckinridge county is the only county that has kept aloft the banner of Republicanism. Ohio county went for Bryan, although she gave the Hon. John W. Lewis a magnificent majority. Hancock county went for the "Boy Orator of the Platte." Grayson county gave Bryan a majority of 109. Breckinridge county stands alone in her glory with a majority of 63 for McKinley and the Hon. D. H. Smith ran just 300 votes behind Mr. Lewis.

When we turn to the eastern end of the Fourth Congressional District a sad scene presents itself. Hardin, Nelson and Marion all gave overwhelming majorities for Bryan. Mr. "C. J." of Lebanon, who erstwhile was giving out bugle calls for the western end of the District to stand by John W. Lewis is invited to contemplate the figures of the eastern end of the District as compared with the figures of Ohio, Breckinridge and Grayson counties, which compose the eastern end. We advised "C. J." at the time that he had better attend more especially to Marion county and events show that our advice was good and wholesome. We do not wish to be understood as finding fault with the Republicans in any portion of the District, for they are all earnest and loyal party men. But it is well enough for honor to be given where honor is due, and for the people to know what was.

The success of the Republicans will, to be sure, create somewhat of a scramble for the offices to be distributed. Breckinridge county will furnish her share. We understand that several of our citizens have revenue appointments in view, while the Post office at this place also thought to be worth having. Messrs. John P. Haswell, Jr., Marcus Kinchele, and C. M. Heston are the announced applicants for our Post office, while others might be found without the aid of a very powerful magnifying glass. In the meanwhile the county officers to be elected next November are not being overlooked and altogether there will be lively times in old Breckinridge during the next year.

Business Will Improve.
The battle has been fought, and the victory won. Wm. McKinley is the President elect of the United States; also, there is no doubt that Congress, both houses and Senate, will be Republican. It has been a great victory. Now let the country rejoice that a great calamity has been averted, and that the country will resume its march of progress and prosperity. Now capital will begin to move, labor will find employment, the hum of industry will begin. We do not expect everything to come at once; but the beginning of a business revival will take place at once; already it has commenced. Money will get easier, mills and factories which have been idle for many months will resume operation, and will call back their long idle hands; money will gradually begin to flow out into the interior of the country, and the farmer will soon begin to realize some benefit; but we must not expect too much all at once; it will require many months to get started up, and to return to our old time business methods and we must not expect, like some of our free silver friends, that we will find a dollar lying under our plates every morning for breakfast. No man can expect under free silver or under a gold standard, that he can get money without working for it.

The election of William McKinley means that the millions of idle workmen will soon be able to find employment at remunerative wages. How different it would have been if Bryan had been elected. Gloom, anxiety, distress and financial anarchy, would have prevailed to dry in all the business centers of the country. Money, instead of flowing out into the channels of trade, would have been, and continued to be idle. But the country is saved, and now let every body get a few nights of quiet rest and then get down to solid business. So mote it be. —[Glasgow Republican.]

Who Committed Fraud?
In speaking of the curious returns from the First Congressional District Chairman Roberts has the following to say:
"In that district Bradley received 9,658 votes. Hardin received 13,170 votes and Pettit 7,475. In this campaign it could not be disputed that there was defection from the Democratic ranks. Place the number of gold Democrats who voted for McKinley at 2,000. The Palmer and Buckner vote is shown to be 500 by the returns. Deduct 2,500 from the Hardin vote and you have remaining, 10,670 Democratic votes. Add to this the entire Populist vote of 7,475 in the district (the number of votes received by Pettit) and you have 18,145 the number of votes that Bryan was entitled to in the first. This exceeds the total vote of 18,000 in the district except a 500 sound money Democrats and every Populist."

"Now what do we find? We find that instead of receiving 15,415 votes or a reasonable increase over that number growing out of the increased interest in the election among voters, that Mr. Bryan has received 25,920 votes—nearly double the amount to which he was entitled. To show that this remarkable increase could not have come from Republican ranks, we increased our vote from 11,658, about what we thought we would get on the basis of the Bradley vote, to 13,352, an increase of 2,694 votes. This is of course, accounted for by the getting out of more than the ordinary Republican vote. But how, with all the defection existing, is the Democratic increase of 10,505 accounted for? That is what we propose to find out. I repeat that it is curious, to say the least."

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Is contained in a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla than in any other similar preparation. It costs the proprietor and manufacturer more. It costs the jobber more and is worth more to the consumer. It has a record of cures unknown to any other medicine. It is the best to buy because it is the One True Blood Purifier.

Hood's Pills are the best family cathartic and liver medicine. Gentle, reliable, sure.

McKinley Carries Kentucky by a Safe Plurality.
It seems certain that Kentucky has been carried by the McKinley electors and the old commonwealth will cast its first electoral vote for Republican nominees. Chairman Sam J. Roberts, who has been figuring on the vote for almost a week, has issued his last report which is as follows:
"Practically complete official returns give McKinley 444 plurality in Kentucky unofficially indicating that the four missing counties will increase rather than decrease these figures. The Republicans elect four members of congress and a judge of the highest court of the state for an eight year term, and by the filling of vacancies have secured a majority of two in the general assembly on joint ballot, which insures a Republican successor to Senator Blackburn."

"The total vote in the state will approximate 425,000, an increase of 70,000 over last year's vote, and 25,000 more than the highest estimate before the election. The Republican vote increased about 40,000 over Bradley's vote a year ago, while was 17,000 higher than ever before cast in a presidential election, and the Democratic vote was 29,000 votes higher. These figures will give some idea of the intensity of the political struggle through which Kentucky has just passed."

SAM J. ROBERTS, Chairman.
"Turn the rascals out!"—the familiar party cry—may be applied to microbes as well as to men. The germs of disease that lurk in the blood are "turned out" by Ayer's Sarsaparilla as effectively as the old postmasters are displaced by a new administration.
To Sam J. Roberts.
To Mr. Sam J. Roberts, of the Lexington, all Republicans doff their hats. As Chairman of the campaign committee, he has covered every point. With un-unsurpassed watchfulness he guided an army whose triumph was received with joy in all sections of this country. Mr. Roberts has shown himself to be a magnificent general and his great executive ability is now something of national note. No one in this state did more for Major McKinley than his former neighbor and fellow townsman, Mr. Roberts. Four years ago the Lexington Journalist predicted the nomination of McKinley as well as his election and not since that time has he faltered in his fight for the great protectionist. That Mr. Roberts will occupy a high seat in the councils of the state during the next administration, all know in advance. He is deserving of the best that comes to Kentucky. —[Pantagraph.]

When the hair has fallen out, leaving the head bald, if the scalp is not shiny, there is a chance of regaining the hair by using Hall's Hair Renewer.

CASE NO. 1.
Rev. Matthews filled his regular appointment here last Sunday.
Rev. J. D. Danen will fill his regular appointments here next Saturday and Sunday.
Rev. John Jarnagin will preach here the fourth Sunday.
Rev. H. V. Bruner will preach here on Saturday night before the fifth Sunday in December.

The Blackford Circle meeting will be held here the 26th and 27th of December. Everybody is invited.
The people of the community are re-roofing the church.
Mr. John Leach left here on November the 1st for Florida.
Several from this neighborhood attended the ratification at Rosine last Saturday night.
The excitement of the election is over and the Populists are all sick and the Republicans are all well pleased, but if John W. Lewis had been elected they would have 't better.

Many people, when a little constipated, make the mistake of using saline or other drastic purgatives. All that is needed is a mild dose of Ayer's Pills to restore the regular movement of the bowels, and nature will do the rest. They keep the system in perfect order.

GOOD SOUND COMMON SENSE.
The Populists claim their recent defeat was due to a heavy expense. Money was used but the real cause was good, sound common sense. Money is power which power was used. In the Western miner's defense: Greater power than money was used. "Was good, sound common sense." Hanna's money might have been saved. By correctly looking home: The country is always safe in care of good, sound common sense. They canvassed this country from sea to sea. With check and brain fumens: Appealing to the dangerous prejudice of men. Not their goal, sound common sense.

William J. Bryan was shot in the heel. As he leaped over the fence: With a modern ballot heavily clunged. With good, sound common sense. —[P. Renfrow.]

BREVITIES OF FUN.
—Deserted Wife (in conversation with sympathetic grocer)—"And I trusted him so!" Grocer—"Confound it, so did I."—Boston Transcript.

"Your fashionable woman seldom has a warm heart, I take it." "Well, it depends. If she has plump shoulders she doesn't mind much about her heart."—Detroit Tribune.

"Now my good man," said the stout gentleman, "I gave you a piece of silver, what would you do with it?" "I'd bite it," replied the cautious tramp.—Yonkers Statesman.

—Filial Disrespect.—"Mrs. Dubach has disinherited her son." "What's that for?" "He went and got bald just as she was thinking of getting married again."—Chicago Record.

"What in the world did you say when mamma caught you alone in the dark with Jack Robinson?" "I told her I wanted to see if I could play without my notes."—Brooklyn Life.

"Do you believe the story about Joshua commanding the sun to stand still?" "Well, I've told my wife worse stories than that in trying to prove to her that the clock was wrong."—Washington Times.

—Mrs. Dusenberry—"It's dreadful to be disappointed in love." Mr. Dusenberry—"There is something a great deal worse than that." "What, for instance?" "To be disappointed in marriage."—Texas Siftor.

AN ORPHANED FAWN.
The Strange Pet of a Portland (Ore.) Lad.

A young boy with a pet fawn trotting behind him attracted attention on a recent afternoon on the White Horse road in Portland. The little creature was perfectly tame, and on the approach of a team would timidly run to the boy's side as though seeking protection. To a well-known insurance man, who was on the road driving with his wife, the lad told the story of his acquisition of the fawn.

Some weeks ago the boy was fishing on the Tualatin river. Fish were plentiful, and, engrossed in the sport, he had kept his eyes on the ripple, taking no cognizance of what was going on behind him. A bleating sound from the bank above him had paid no attention to, thinking it was some stray lamb. The bleating was repeated a number of times, but the boy was fishing and the trout were rising freely. Then came a patter of tiny hoofs down the river bank, and a little gold nose was pushed in his hand. Looking down, the boy found the fawn standing beside him, apparently without fear, the pleading look in its big brown eyes asking help. Its neck and one side of the head was covered with blood, still wet, its limbs barely supporting the frail body.

The boy's first thought was that the wolf had been wounded, and in attempting to reach water had come out on the river bank at the point where he was fishing, and through sheer weakness being unable to go further, had tumbled down to the stream, landing by his side. Picking up the little thing up in his arms, the lad waded out on the ripple, and, washing the blood from the fawn's neck, found it uninjured.

Some pet hunter had shot the mother doe, and with her dying strength she had plunged back through the timber to reach the baby deer, born but a few days before. The fawn had evidently become alarmed and started to find the buck, its one point of location being the runway at the river, where, during its few days of life, the two had nightly come to drink.

The boy, who gave his name as Frank Harrison, took the fawn to his home, where there was a baby brother and a nursing bottle, and together Mrs. Harrison is bringing up her own baby and the orphaned deer. It was less than an hour before the fawn had accustomed itself to the new surroundings and was perfectly at home. It at once attached itself to the boy, Frank, seeming to look on the lad as its natural protector, and now wherever the lad goes the fawn follows.—Portland Telegram.

A Russian Baby.
A traveler from Russia says that Russian babies in Siberia are not very attractive. He says that one day he noticed in one of the houses a curious bundle on a shelf; another traveler passing by a rope from the rafters—this one the mother was swinging. The traveler discovered that each curious bundle was a child; the one in the swinging bundle was the youngest. The traveler looked at the little baby, and found it so dirty that he exclaimed in disgust: "Why do you not wash it?" The mother looked horror-stricken, and ejaculated: "Wash it! Wash the baby! Why, it would kill it!" What a happy country Russia would be for some boy! Never to hear "Wash your face and hands," nor "Have you brushed your hair?"—N. Y. Outlook.

RUN BY THE GOVERNMENT.

The Russian Dispensary System for Sale of Spirits.
The extension of the system of monopoly of the sale of spirits by the crown in Russia is described by our consul general at St. Petersburg in his last report, says the London Times. The system was first introduced in 1863 in the provinces of Perm, Ufa, Orenburg and Samara, and was extended from July 1, 1886, to Kamensk, Volynia, Ekaterinoburg, Kieff, Podolia, Poltava, the Taurida, Kherson and Tchernigov. To these provinces the system has been applied, with some modifications, which local peculiarities and conditions have necessitated. The modifications consist principally in the acquisition by the government of corn brandy from small brandy distilleries, whereas in the four eastern provinces such purchases were confined to large distilleries. Moreover, brandy distilled from grain and potatoes will be acquired by the government in preference to that obtained from the residue of sugar made of beetroots, the brandy distilled from which has a peculiar taste, which renders it rather unpalatable. It would appear that the sale of Scotch and Irish whisky, gin, rum, liqueurs and other spirituous drinks, excepting wine, beer, porter and mead, comes under the operation of the new liquor sale monopoly law, and that it will rest with the ministers of finance and the interior to issue or withhold licenses for the sale of these to private individuals. The ordinary corn brandy, or vodka, of the country for its various forms is, under the new regulations, sold from shops and depots maintained by the government, which, however, as in the case of spirituous drinks of foreign origin, reserves to itself the right of allowing private dealers, such as grocers, etc., to sell vodka, and the right of doing so will be granted only to persons who may be considered thoroughly trustworthy. From July 1, 1897, the monopoly will be extended to the provinces of Wilna, Vitebsk, Kovno, Minsk, Moghilev and Smolensk, and from January 1, 1898, a further extension of the system will embrace the provinces of St. Petersburg, Novgorod, Pskov, Olonetsk and Khmelnykoff. "It is too early yet to form a positive judgment whether the monopoly of the sale of spirituous beverages by the government has answered financially all expectations. But the first essay in its application to four of the eastern provinces of the empire has proved so satisfactory in general effect as to justify the gradual extension of the system to other parts of the empire. This gradual extension is now in progress."

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The election being over we now have ample time to get a good breath and reflect upon what has happened, and to let our best wishes go out for the very highest of officers and to all our American people, knowing that he who rules the people must do it wisely and that we must endeavor to make the best of the lot in which we are cast, and never forgetting that there is a higher power than President Cleveland or Wm. McKinley that will guide and aid us as a free and independent and God serving nation. The much talked of and long waited for and patiently looked for election is a thing of the past and it failed to go at the ratio of 16 to 1, while, perhaps some are sadly disappointed and considerably east down, it is certainly for the best that it is as it is.

The Coal Company at Renler paid its hand off Saturday night at one-half pay in gold.

Born, to the wife of R. C. Caldwell on the night of the 31st of October, a ten pound boy. Dr. Smith attending physician.

A protracted meeting is in progress at McHenry school house and quite an interest is being taken by saint and sinner. Services are conducted by Revs. Luster and Wilky.

Mr. Tom Harlan and Miss Clemmie Hicks were, we understand, united in the holy bonds of matrimony at Rockport, Indiana the 7th inst. The best wishes of the writer and of their many friends for their happiness and long life.

Dr. J. S. Smith will leave in a short time to take a course in medicine.

Mr. Solon Patterson entered Beaver Dam school last week.

Miss Bertie Parks is visiting friends at centertown.

Mr. Leslie Myers, after a severe spell of typhoid fever, is up and at his place in the Company store at Renler.

Mr. James McConnell has moved to town and is in the employ of the coal Company.

Born, to the wife of D. W. Christian on the 7th last, a boy.

Mr. Richard Renter and Miss Beale Robinson, of this place, were married at Rockport, Indiana, last Saturday.

Mr. Gilliam Houk and family are visiting the family of Mr. John W. Field.

Free Pills.

Send your address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. A trial will convince you of their merits. These Pills are easy in action and are particularly effective in the cure of Constipation and Sick Headache. For Malaria and Liver troubles they have been proved invaluable. They are guaranteed to be perfectly free from every deleterious substance and to be purely vegetable. They do not weaken by their action, but by giving tone to stomach and bowels greatly invigorate the system.

Regular size 25c. per box. Sold by Williams & Bell Druggist.

Wanted—A good milk cow with young calf. Call at this office.

We, the undersigned voters of Ohio county Ky., solicit the candidacy of Sam T. Barnett for the office of Sheriff of Ohio county, pledging him our hearty support.

J. P. Hicks, C. M. Newcomb, R. Davis, J. C. Park, J. S. Leach, R. M. Cook, Hosea Shown, W. A. Carson, Sylvester Shown, Rupert Bennett, Ed Shown, W. H. Humphrey, H. M. Bennett, Jas. L. Hicks, Eston Williams, Lank Williams, Wm. E. Ward, W. S. Tinsley, Hezlie Ward, A. W. Mills.

Noted to Log Men.

The undersigned will be in Hartford on the 10th, 20th and 21st of November to contract for saw logs. Will be pleased to meet any one wishing to contract. Respy

W. H. Moore Agent for John A. Reitz & Sons

Bradley Gives Thanks.

Governor Bradley has issued the following proclamation: The State or nation that is unmindful of, or ungrateful for, the blessings bestowed by a merciful God, cannot and should not deserve prosperity. To Him we owe all that we are and hope to be. He has prevented war and pestilence, filled our granaries, preserved our honor and protected our institutions.

Therefore, the people of Kentucky are requested to assemble at their respective places of worship and observe Thursday, the 26th day of this month, in thanksgiving for the blessings of the past and present, and in prayer for their continuance in the future.

Done at Frankfort on the 5th day of November, in the year of our Lord 1896, and the 10th year of the Commonwealth.

WM. O. BRADLEY, Governor. By E. D. GUPPY, Assistant Secretary of State.

Poor Blood

When a horse is poor in flesh, a new harness won't give him strength. If a horse is cold new furniture won't warm it. If your strength is easily exhausted; work a burden; nerves weak; digestion poor; muscles soft; if you are pale and worn out, the trouble is with the blood. It is not so much IMPURE blood as POOR blood. Pills won't make this blood rich; nor will bitters, nor iron tonics, any more than a new harness will give strength to the horse, or new furniture will make a house warm. For poor blood you want something that will make rich blood. SCOTT'S EMULSION of Cod-liver Oil with Hypophosphites is the best remedy in the world for enriching the blood.

We have prepared a book telling you more about the subject. Sent Free. For sale by all druggists at 50c. & \$1.00. SCOTT & BOWNE, New York.

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Cherry Pectoral cannot be equaled. E. M. HAWLEY, D. D., Dis. Sec. of the American Baptist Publishing Society, Petersburg, Va., endorses it, as a cure for violent colds, bronchitis, etc. Dr. Hawley also adds: "I have ministers suffering from throat troubles, I recommend

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Col. L. B. Nall, Louisville, was the guest of Dr. J. E. Pendleton and family the first of the week.

We have a fine line of teachers' grade cards for 35 cents per hundred. Send in your orders.

I want to trade a sewing machine for a No. 1 cow and calf. GROSS WILLIAMS.

Our Job Department is always ready to do your job work for you at the lowest cash figures.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Miller, of Beaver Dam, were the guests of Mrs. E. P. Neal this week.

Dr. J. H. White, wife and little son, Sam, left Wednesday for their new home at Charleston, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Allen Anderson are visiting friends and relatives in Owensboro and Davison county this week.

Mr. Thos. H. Black has sold his stock of groceries, finding that his duties as father required all his time.

The fight for the Hartford Post office has opened up in earnest, as there are four applicants for the place and probably there will be more.

Now that the county has fixed the Court House fence it would be a good idea for the Town Trustees to put some good stepping stones at each corner of the Court House yard. Let the matter be given prompt attention and the steps will fill a long felt want.

The following named persons have paid their subscription to THE REPUBLICAN since our last issue: H. F. Ammend, J. M. Casebeer, E. B. Allen, Hartford; S. T. Hunter, Smallhouse; Wiley Taylor, Beaver Dam; Jas. Wedding, Sulphur Springs; Henry Tinsley, Corydon; S. A. Garrett, Centertown.

Mr. James P. Thomas is at home after having stayed in Republican headquarters in Louisville until everything was closed out and the campaign ended. He is highly pleased with the result of the election and is enthusiastic in his praise of Chairman Roberts and his other assistants.

In another column in this issue will be found the announcement of Mr. F. Leonard Sunkler as a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Ohio county Circuit Court, subject to the action of the Republican party.

Mr. Sauderfur is a rising young school teacher of the county and is very popular wherever he is known. He is a resident of the Rosiae voting precinct.

Now that the election is over we want our correspondents to again send us the news from their respective localities. We have had to crowd such matter out for the past few weeks owing to political matter, but we propose to make THE REPUBLICAN even better than heretofore and ask that our correspondents take up the matter and let us hear from each neighborhood every week. Give the matter your attention.

There is a decided change in the business outlook for Hartford. With navigation about opened up, every business man has put forth energy and new enterprises will soon be looming up in our midst and then Hartford will soon be the most prosperous little city in the State. Let everybody pull together for the up building of our town. Don't go away from home to trade, but give your trade to Ohio county merchants and then you will be benefited while you are benefiting others.

Come and see our large stock of dry goods and everything kept in a general store. We sell women's good shoes for 99c, \$1.25 and \$2.25. Men's shoes for 99c. Best for \$1.25. A good boot for \$1.35. Men's and boys overcoats and macintoshes at your own price. Also bed comforts and bed blankets. The latest improved sewing machine, guaranteed for five years, at \$20. Ladies hats at all prices; cloaks and ensembles. Bring your family and your produce and give us a trial. MOREHEAD, JONES & Co. Centertown, Ky.

The County Election.

The Herald says Ohio county is "redeemed" but it fails to tell how. For the benefit of voters we give the vote of Ohio county where each party was represented on the ticket and for that purpose have selected the vote between the candidates for Congress, because the People's party had no full electoral ticket. The vote was as follows for Congressman: John W. Lewis Republican, 2637; David H. Smith, Silver Democrat, 2992; Jas. E. Durham, People's party, 636; W. M. Likens, Prohibitionist, 82. This gives Mr. Lewis' majority of 545 over Silver Democrat, Smith, and a Republican gain of 483 over the vote for Bradley in 1895. It also shows a Silver Democratic gain of 222 over the vote for Hardin in 1895 and a clear Republican gain of 261. If Silver Democrats can get any consolation out of this they are welcome to it and if this is what they call "redemption" the Republicans say give us some more "redemption."

It is also true that the fusion electoral ticket about tied in this county, but when the campaign opened the vote of 1895 showed that the combined vote of Silver Democrats of 1870 for Hardin and 626 for Pettit over Bradley's vote of 2154 showed that the Silverite fusionists had in Ohio county a clear majority of 342. This majority has entirely disappeared and if this is what the Herald calls "redemption" we again repeat give us some more "redemption." For the benefit of the public we will add that the Republican vote for our first elector, Sam Kash, was 2653, which is more votes than any other Republican nominee ever received in Ohio county. This we suppose is some more "redemption."

We have been informed by the Republican County Committee that they will call an early Convention to nominate candidates for county offices. The Convention will likely be called in January or February.

HAMLEN CIPHEL.

Rev. O. M. Wilson filled his regular appointment at this place Sunday night.

The school in this district is being taught by Mr. J. F. Small, and is progressing very nicely.

Spurgeon Foster is on the sick list.

Miss Cora Felix spent Monday with Miss Clara Foster.

Mrs. Mag Felix visited Mrs. Cua-diff Sunday, who is very ill and is not expected to live but a short time.

Quite a crowd of young people from this neighborhood attended church at Bethel Sunday.

There was considerable excitement in the neighborhood Sunday night when Mr. Andrew Maple was thought to be dying. He has since considerably recovered.

Mr. Frank Black has gone to Centertown to build a house for Mr. Gabe Likens.

Miss Francis Black and brother, Thompson, went to Olaton last Friday.

Mr. Lewis Returns Thanks.

Hon. Jno W. Lewis in a private letter to Chairman Gibson says: "Well, the smoke has cleared away and we are left among the fallen, but we did the best we could and especially the noble Republicans of your county. I write to extend to you and the Republicans of Ohio county my warmest and most cordial thanks for the magnificent campaign work and management in your county. If we had had the same everywhere the race would have been won. Again thanking you and your Republican co-workers in your county for your magnificent work, and with the assurance that I will never forget any of you, I beg to subscribe myself, Your Friend

JNO W. LEWIS

A Fall.

We, the undersigned Republicans of the Buford voting precinct, recognizing the ability and worth of our fellow Republican, R. C. Jarnagin, of Beaver Dam, Ky., and recognizing in him the requisite qualifications for the office of Superintendent of the public schools of Ohio county, which office is to be filled at the November election in 1897, do request and urge him to make the race for said office, and we furthermore pledge ourselves to use all honorable means to secure his nomination.

J. W. Nicholson, Alex. Nicholson, John Hoagland, M. H. Tharp, E. P. Bennett, J. T. Morgan, A. S. Bennett, W. G. Bennett, J. T. Wells, Sidney Bozarth, J. T. Allen, M. L. Allen, Mike Nicholson, Albert Jackson, W. H. Allen, J. W. Ezell, Luther Hoagland, A. F. Yates, W. S. Bartlett, W. S. Morgan, Gilbert Hoover, Isaac Hodson, Clint McFarland, Jerry Jackson, Matthew Jackson, Eloise Cox, Nelson Murray, Andrew Johnson.

Wanted—Cash.

A reliable party wants to borrow \$100 at 6 per cent for twelve months. Will give gift edge security. Apply at once, at this office.

New fall dress goods at Carson & Co's.

KENTUCKY CROP REPORT.

Condition of Crops and Live Stock November 1, 1896.

Report on condition of crops and stock on November 1st is taken from replies from 151 correspondents, representing 101 counties.

WHEAT.

Early in the season the tendency was towards a decreased acreage of wheat. This was materially checked both by favorable seeding conditions existing late in the season, and by the rapid rise in the price of this cereal. The scarcity of good seed wheat has, to some extent, favored a decreased acreage. The acreage seeded this season, as compared with the fall of 1895, is 96 per cent. Taking the figures as returned by the county assessors, and allowing for the percentage of the crop plowed up last spring on account of winter-killing, gives the total of acreage seeded this year 948,024 acres. The condition of the growing plant, especially the early sown, is excellent. The growing weather during October resulted in perfect germination, and the stand is almost perfect, the only exception being where inferior seed was sown. Some cases of this kind are reported where reseeding was necessary. Another favorable feature is the thorough preparation of the soil for the crop. Weather conditions favored this to a remarkable degree, and, combined with the stimulation of advancing prices, the result is the best cultivated crops for years.

HOGS.

The condition of feeding hogs averages 84, which is a falling off from last month. The decrease is due to the increased prevalence of cholera. The fear of this disease has caused many farmers to rush hogs on the market before they were matured. Many correspondents express a belief that this will have a decided effect on the number of hogs to be marketed during the packing season. The number of hogs, other than those being fattened, as compared with 1895, is 89 per cent.

SHEEP.

All reports point to a decrease in the number of breeding ewes in the hands of farmers. The low price of lambs for a series of years, coupled with the extreme low price of wool, has caused a gradual curtailment of flocks. The number of sheep of all kinds September 15, 1896, as shown by reports of county assessors, is 813,629, as against 903,615 for same date of 1895.

NEW STEERABLE BALLOON.

Can Be Propelled Against Even a Strong Head Wind.

At the Berlin industrial exhibition there is to be seen a wonderful balloon, which is reported to be steerable in a remarkable degree. This tremendous bag rose to the height of about 65 feet and was propelled in all directions, even against the wind. The public was allowed to give the directions, so that there should be no doubt as to the genuine powers of the new aerial vessel. Dr. Wolfert, the designer of the balloon, claims that it can be steered against any wind at any altitude, but this has not yet been tested.

The motive power of this elliptical built balloon is a kind of double-bladed ship's propeller, having a diameter of about three yards. It is placed in front of the basket, while right below the car is another propeller of the same dimensions, for upward and downward movement. These propellers make 500 revolutions per minute. The engine is of eight-horse power. The monster balloon is over 30 yards long, and in the center the diameter is about ten yards. The basket from its shape is called a galleria, and is five yards long. It is constructed of bamboo and is fastened to the balloon in such a way as to form an integral part of its bulky sustainer. Neither part can have separate movement. The method of fastening the two is the secret of the inventor, Dr. Wolfert, who will not say anything about it. He has made 53 ascents with other smaller balloons of this construction, the last time on May 20 from the royal department of military aeronauts' drill ground. The latest and largest of his progeny he has christened Deutschland, and it is hinted that the form of the balloon is not dissimilar from that ordered by the Spanish government for use against the Cuban revolutionaries.—N. Y. Tribune.

Paleontology and Evolution.

The value of paleontology as affording a basis for the evolution theory is second to no other series of facts. The genealogy of the horse is the most striking instance of geological succession and the most complete phylogeny of any group of the animal kingdom. Messrs. Osborn and Wortman, of the Central Park museum, are now working out further details of this case, and find between two genera of the horse family a series of intermediate forms connecting Meshippus and Aneltherium, so that a strict definition of genera and specific forms becomes impossible. They show that the tertiary horse was a type "slowly specializing and constantly increasing in size."—N. Y. Independent.

Survivors of a Famous Ball.

There are but two known survivors of the famous ball given by the duchess of Richmond at Brussels on the eve of the battle of Waterloo. They are English women, Lady Louisa and Sophia Tighe. In 1815 Lady Louisa was 12 and Lady Sophia 6 years of age.

No cough remedy equals Dr. Bell's Fine Tar Honey for anybody of any age, from infancy on through life until they are as old as Good Old Granny Metcalf. All druggists sell it. For sale by Z Wayne Gilfill & Bro.

HIS LIFE A FAILURE.

Ex-Footman Tells of His Giddy Rise and the Fall That Followed.

The London Telegraph has been publishing lately a lot of letters from people out of work, and for one reason or another unable to get it. Here is one of them. It discloses a varied and decidedly interesting career:

"Sir: I began life on my own account as a page boy, and, being tall and of tolerably good appearance, I was not long in blooming into a footman and what is termed a thorough indoor servant. Afterwards, I was fortunate enough to get the position as valet to one of the first noblemen in the land, and as such traveled with my master all over the world and into the palaces of nearly every crowned head of Europe and the white house at Washington, seeing life and the world as only such can see it and enjoy it. But, alas! I, too, fell into disgrace, though not through dishonesty, and had to leave my situation without a character."

"I betook myself and family away from my associates of the past to a western rural district, where some navy work was going on for the Great Western railway. I asked for employment, and was set to work at 3s. 6d. per day unloading trucks of ballast. Handling a shovel in front of five tons of gravel, I found by the blisters it brought on my hands, was altogether a different sort of employment to making snow white a pair of buckskin brooches; but I brought my trouble on myself, and was determined I would not sink and my family suffer through it more than I could possibly help."

"I worked as long as the farm lasted, and then served as a job and market garden laborer, cetter, potman and fly-driver. I would never say I could not do anything that was asked me. I had never driven a pair of horses before in my life, and I was instructed to drive the late Mr. Herbert and Mrs. Ingram to the office of the Illustrated London News, in the Strand, from their villa at Acton. But I found myself again drifting among my old and evil associations, so resolved to emigrate to Canada, and for the 12 years I remained in that highly favored colony I need not have been out of work one day if I had liked; and, in my humble opinion, that is the country for all such as are full of the real grit, moderate intelligence, and will vigorously ply their shoulder to the wheel."

"A few years ago I returned to England, but I find myself, at 63 years of age, out of work, though full of health and as active as a kitten. Better testimonial no man in England has got than mine. I have advertised in various papers and answered advertisements innumerable, and in every instance my age is my drawback. I have not felt old yet, and I would undertake for all I am worth—and I am not hard up—to cook a four-course dinner for and wait table on six persons, as well as, if not better than, any young man that ever put foot in a dining room, and yet if myself and wife, who also is an active, most useful indoor servant, were to offer our services gratis, I don't suppose anyone would accept us."

"We have a few pounds saved, which we should like to keep for that rainy day that will surely come, and it seems hard that active, willing men and women should be refused employment they could most satisfactorily do because they happened, through no fault of their own, to be

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BETTERS

On McKinley Carrying Kentucky Will Win.

The betting fraternity seems very much agitated over the political outcome of the McKinley-Bryan fight in Kentucky. The holders of the Bryan end are vainly hoping that if Smith, the highest candidate on the Bryan ticket pulls through by running ahead of the lowest man on the McKinley ticket, Bryan thus getting one of the thirteen electors, they will get their money back.

This is not true. The McKinley men will win every bet. Had Bryan gotten six to McKinley's seven of the electors, even then every Bryan bettor would lose his money; much more does he lose if McKinley get twelve out of thirteen. There can be no dispute about this.

This claim that McKinley has not carried the State because Bryan has one elector is exceedingly transparent and will not hold anywhere. It would be the grossest unfairness to say that bets should be drawn because the first elector on the Bryan ticket runs a few votes ahead of the last man on the McKinley ticket. Either the men at head of each electoral ticket must be compared, or the men at the tail of the ticket, and in either case the McKinley elector is 500 ahead of the Bryan elector.

But while Bryan may get one elector the chances are that he will not. But should he, there is nothing left for the McKinley men to do but collect their bets.

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Mr. Otto H. Elbert, who resides at the corner of 221 Street and Avenue M, Galveston, Texas, had a severe experience with this dreadful disease, and under date of April 6th, 1896, writes:

"Several years ago I was so unfortunate as to contract contagious blood poison, and was under treatment of the best physicians continuously for four years. As soon as I discovered that the disease, I hastened to place myself under the care of one of the foremost doctors in my State, and took his treatment faithfully for several months. It was a very short time after he pronounced me well, that the disease broke out afresh, and I was in a large measure condition that at first. Large wounds formed



on my neck, my throat was filled with sores, and a horrible ulcer broke out on my jaw. After being treated again with no success, I became despondent and changed doctors. I was again given the usual treatment of mercury, and took enough to kill an ordinary man. Of course, I was pronounced cured half a dozen times, the disease returning each time, until my physician finally admitted that he could do me no good. I am sure that no one was ever in a worse fix than I—my hair had fallen by the handful, my feet were so swollen that I could scarcely walk, and I was in a sad plight.

"I had seen S. S. S. advertised as a cure for this disease, and determined to try it, and before I had taken one bottle I felt much better. I continued to take the remedy, and a dozen bottles cured me completely, so that for five years I have had no sign of the terrible disease. S. S. S. is the greatest blood remedy of the age, and is truly a God-send to those afflicted with contagious blood poison."

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The Companion Calendar.
It is said that the expense of making the Companion Art Calendar for 1897 was so great that had it been published in the usual quantity it could not be sold for less than one dollar. Four beautiful female figures are reproduced on four folding pages. Each figure is lithographed in twelve colors, being a true reproduction of the original water-color painting, which was selected because of its excellence of design and charm of color and tone. The size of each of the four folding pages is 10 1/2 by 6 inches.

It is by far the best piece of color work the Companion has ever offered. Both as a calendar and as a gem of the lithographer's art, it is so attractive that it becomes a valuable addition to the mantel or centre table of any room. It is given free to all new subscribers sending \$1.75 to the Companion for the year 1897, who receive also the paper free from the time the subscription is received till January 1, 1897.

Celebrating in 1897 its seventy-first birthday, the Companion offers its readers many exceptional brilliant features. Fully two hundred of the most famous men and women of both continents have contributed to the next year's volume of the paper. For free illustrated prospectus address:

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That clever literary raconteur, "Dorch," who in private life is Robert Bridges, has joined the writers who are flocking in such numbers to "The Ladies' Home Journal." "Dorch" commences in the December issue of that magazine a series of "Dorch's Literary Talks," which will hereafter be a regular editorial feature of the Journal. Mr. Bridges will aim his work more directly at girls and gossip about books rather than review them. They will be, in short, "literary talks."

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RELICS OF THE PAST.

Some of the Curious Prolegomena of London City Companies.

Among the powers still exercised is the right of members of the Vintners' company to sell foreign wine and spirits without a license. There are still many "free vintners" throughout the country, who do not come under the jurisdiction of the licensing authorities. From time immemorial this company also enjoyed the exclusive right of "loading and landing, pitching and unloading" wines and spirits imported to and exported from the city of London. Its franchise is still exercised by its tackle-ports. The gun-makers, too, have kept their right to test and approve guns at their proof-house. They formerly had the right to punish any man who made a gun without having been apprenticed to the trade, and to prevent persons hawking guns for sale. Another company exercising important powers is the Scriveners', which prevents any man practicing as a notary in the city unless he is a member of the company and duly qualified. The Fishmongers' company has always had the control of the fish trade, and a reminder to this effect came in the form of a notice recently issued, addressed to "fishermen, fishmongers, dealers in fish and others," warning them against the capture of unseasonable and unclean salmon, and of migratory fish of the genus salmon, and its sale either in London or the provinces. They do not, however, as in olden times, impose fines "of their own right," but initiate prosecutions before the legal tribunals. Their functions in the matter of the capture of unseasonable fish are also largely undertaken now by the inspectors and officers of local authorities.

One of the latest powers exercised by the Butchers' company, which in the reign of George III. got an act passed which was known as the "Flogging Act," by which, in concert with the cordwainers and curriers, they had power to levy fines on persons "willfully, negligently or carelessly" gashing the skins of animals when flaying them. This act was repealed in 1821. Before the commission of sewers took over the duty, this company used to search for and seize bad meat; but they found a difficulty in recovering their costs. Still more curious powers of this company were those for preventing "forestalling, disseminating other men's meat," and "conspiring not to sell meat except at a certain price." They had further the power to tax butchers for the removal of the general offal. The cordwainers regulated the sale of boots and shoes up to the time of George IV. when the power ceased to be exercised, "by the will of parliament."—St. James' Gazette.

NEWSPAPER CLIPPINGS.

A Valuable Collection Made by the Omaha Public Library.

A most interesting and valuable scrap-book collection is that of Miss Dora Burdett, of the Omaha public library. This young lady, who presides over the reading rooms, and takes care of the newspaper files, became possessed of the idea that there was a great loss of information when every month these files were destroyed, and she began to clip from them systematically. Enthusiastic and faithful in her work, it steadily grew until now, with the assistance of the head librarian, who recognized its value, it has become a comprehensive bureau of information. In neat rows on long lines of shelves are ranged the big cardboard envelopes, book shaped, that in alphabetical order contain clippings from the best-known newspapers of every large city, comprising a wide and varied range of topics. One department of this unique collection is devoted to biography, and in this the clippings are mounted, and when possible the sketch is headed by a portrait. These are well patronized by the local newspaper people, who want to have cuts made. Each clipping has marked upon it the paper from which it was taken and the date of its appearance.

For the benefit of the public school children there is a department containing descriptions of the Yale tide, the national holidays and every kind of festivity, with appropriate selections in verse and prose.—Troy Times.

The National Grange.

The president of the national grange reports the existence of 27,000 granges with a total membership of nearly 1,000,000. The order is now strong in the eastern states and still growing.

Safety of Railway Travel.

Travel by rail has reached a remarkable degree of safety. Of all the passengers in the United States during the past year the number killed was about one in 3,000,000.

—The Nyctemeron derives its name from two Greek words signifying "to allay anger." The flower was popularly supposed in ancient times to possess the power of calming angry passions.

BRIDGE BUILDING IN 1890.

The Triumph of an Old-Time Architect's "Visionary" Scheme.

Rambles and gems of art and occasionally plots I up at the steeper sales in this city, says the New York Times, by men who make a business of gambling on the contents of trunks and can question off to cover stores of goods. Several trunks, the property of a son of a one-time prominent municipal official of this city, were brought in a storage sale last week by Robert Fullerton, who has just been elected mayor of New York. The owner of the trunks lost a fortune in Wall street, and is now too poor to pay even a few dollars to save his father's private papers and books and old family relics from being sold for storage charges. Among the contents of one of the trunks was a rare and interesting volume printed in this city in 1890, describing a plan of one Thomas' Pope, architect, for a great arch bridge over the Hudson river. Mr. Fullerton has decided to present the volume to the civil engineers' club of this city.

There were only a few hundred copies of the volume printed, certainly prominent citizens of the city, the governor, Daniel D. Tompkins, and lieutenant governor of the state, and mayor of New York, De Witt Clinton, having subscribed to the volume and guaranteed the expenses of publication. Architect Pope lived before his time, and all through the interesting treatise on his plan for a great bridge over the Hudson and a description of ancient bridges there appears the compelling tone of an unappreciated genius. Mr. Pope must have had enemies, for he refers to men who would have him locked up as insane for daring to suggest any such thing as a bridge across a river like the Hudson, with nothing to hold it up in the middle. But men like the governor and mayor and those persons who subscribed to his book listened to the architect's story and believed in him. Mayor Clinton believed the day would come when both the East river and the beautiful Hudson would be spanned by great bridges similar to the one Mr. Pope had devised. That was very nearly 100 years ago, and the Hudson still at last is spanned by a great structure, as the unappreciated Pope foresaw.

In Mr. Pope's volume are descriptions of some of the great bridges of this country and Europe. The bridge over the Schuylkill, at Philadelphia, completed about 1800, was the great wonder in bridges in America at that time, according to Mr. Pope, who believed his scheme a far better one, doing away with all but the end abutments.

A bridge at Wendepool, India, was also one of the novelties in bridges at the time Mr. Pope described it. It was composed entirely of fir, and had not the smallest piece of iron or any other metal to connect its parts. The beams and planks were both of hewn fir, planed together by large wooden pegs. This bridge had stood for a century without sign of decay.

Still another curious-looking arrangement for a bridge Mr. Pope described as being at Chukra, India. It was operated by an endless chain, which supported the platform, and was securely imbedded in masonry at either end.

Contrasting these structures in the bridge line with some of the giants recently erected in this country, an idea can be had of the tremendous progress in bridge building. Mr. Pope, if he could now gaze on the Brooklyn bridge or some of the great structures built on his plan without supporters other than the abutments on the shores, would perhaps speak less harshly of the unappreciated people of America who could not catch his idea at the time he designed the first bridge to connect Manhattan island with the mainland.

FRANK JAMES' NEW JOB.
Will Guard Bullion Cars Against Western Train Robbers.

It would be odd if Frank James, Jesse's brother, were to die at the hands of train robbers who followed in his early footsteps! It may come to pass, too, says the Kansas City Times.

For now that oft quoted bit of advice, "Set a thief to catch a thief," has been heeded by the express companies who carry for times through the Southwestern states in their strong boxes, and who lose them sometimes at the hands of desperadoes.

Frank James, whose career of crime is, perhaps, second only to that of his notorious brother Jesse, is to accept a position as special express messenger, his duty being no other than that of meeting train robbers at their own game.

Frank James is no longer young, but he can still shoot with both hands and shoot straight. But it is not that account alone that his services are in demand. The men who have made him an offer have decided that the reputation which the man won as a desperado when the band which he and his brother led was the scourge of several states, will prove a better safeguard for their bullion than even his ready revolver.

Indeed it has been said, and with some foundation, that if Jesse James had heeded his brother's warning he would never have been shot down by Ford, whom he trusted so fully that he removed his pistol belt and turned his death wound. Frank James had said:

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So the man whose name was once feared throughout several states is now waiting to see if the expressmen will play \$20,000 against his stake, which his life. It will be strange, indeed, if the former desperado, the brains of the most bloodthirsty set of outlaws this country has known, stands on the side of the law against men who regard him and his brother as the patterns to be followed.

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